## House Resolution No. 2354

Whereas, upon occasion the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to applaud the meritorious achievements of exceptional young citizens of the Show-Me State; and

Whereas, Stephanie Marie Thomas of Cainsville, Missouri, has distinguished herself as Salutatorian of the 2005 graduating class of Cainsville R-I High School, an impressive achievement that culminates a four-year pursuit of academic excellence; and

Whereas, Stephanie Thomas is an inspiration to numerous others at Cainsville R-I High School due to the determination, enthusiasm, and commitment she has consistently demonstrated throughout her school years; and

Whereas, Stephanie Thomas has gained a wealth of experience and knowledge through her zealous participation in various activities, a few of which include being an All-District in Softball, a recipient of the DAR Citizenship award, and a member of the French Club, Future Business Leaders of America, Future Farmers of America, and Family, Career and Community Leaders of America; and

Whereas, Stephanie plans to pursue her higher education at Missouri Western State University, where her goal is to major in nursing; and

Whereas, Stephanie Thomas has achieved all of this and more with the continual encouragement of her teachers and the loving support of her family which includes her devoted parents, Roger and Sandra Thomas; and

Whereas, America looks forward to a bright and promising future because of the achievements already realized by such outstanding young citizens as Stephanie Thomas:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Stephanie Thomas at this proud moment of well-deserved distinction and in wishing her only the best as she continues to set a superb example of excellence in scholastic endeavor; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Stephanie Marie Thomas.

Offered by
Representative Jim Whorton
District No. 3
I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 2354, adopted April 20, 2005.
Rod Jetton, Speaker